AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

- 1. (currently amended) An isolated DNA molecule comprising a nucleotide sequence coding for polypeptide (a) or (b) below:
 - (a)—a polypeptide comprising amino acids 1-448 of SEQ ID NO:1,
- (b) a polypeptide comprising amino acids 1–448 of SEQ ID NO:1, with the proviso that said polypeptide (b) contains a deletion, substitution or addition of one or more amino acids, said polypeptide (b) has at least 50% homology with the polypeptide comprising amino acids 1–448 of SEQ ID NO:1, the transcriptional activation domain of said polypeptide (b) has at least 45% homology with the transcriptional activation domain encompassing amino acids 1–59 of SEQ ID NO:1, the DNA binding domain of said polypeptide (b) has at least 90% homology with the DNA binding domain encompassing amino acids 142–321 of SEQ ID NO:1, the oligomerization domain of said polypeptide (b) has at least 80% homology with the oligomerization domain encompassing amino acids 359–397 of SEQ ID NO:1, and said polypeptide (b) has at least one activity selected from the group consisting of transcriptional control, growth inhibition and apoptosis induction.
- 2. (currently amended) An isolated DNA molecule comprising nucleotide sequence

 (a) or (b) below:
 - (a) a DNA molecule comprising nucleotides 145-1488 of SEQ ID NO:2

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- (b) a DNA molecule which hybridizes under stringent conditions of 0.1% SDScontaining 0.2 x SSC at 50°C or 0.1% SDS containing 1 x SSC at 60°C with a DNA molecule comprising nucleotides 145 1488 of SEQ ID NO:2, and wherein DNA molecule (b) codes for a polypeptide which has apoptosis inducing activity.
- (previously presented) An isolated DNA molecule comprising nucleotides 3. 1-2186 of SEQ ID NO:2.
 - 4-15. (canceled).
 - (previously presented) A vector comprising the isolated DNA molecule of claim 1. 16.
 - 17. (original) A host cell transformed with the vector claimed in Claim 16.
 - 18. (canceled).
- (previously presented) The isolated DNA molecule of Claim 2, wherein said 19. DNA molecule is cDNA.
 - 20-29. (canceled).